

WSDOT Construction Update for Snohomish County Highways

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Heavy congestion expected on area highways due to northbound I-405 closure in Kirkland

From 10 p.m. Friday, June 2, to 5 a.m. Tuesday, June 6 all lanes of northbound I-405 at NE 124th Street will be closed so that crews can lower the northbound lanes at that location. Northbound traffic will be funneled into a narrow two-lane bypass during the closure. Drivers should expect long backups on northbound I-405 and heavy congestion on adjacent city streets, especially during the Monday afternoon commute north.

Northbound drivers on I-5 and SR 202 should expect congestion as well because many drivers will take these highways as alternate routes during the closure. Know before you go and get [real-time traffic information](#) on our Web site.

The work on I-405 is weather dependent which means it could be postponed to another weekend. We'll update our [Web page](#) as details are confirmed.

Memorial Day weekend travel

Next Monday, May 29, we observe Memorial Day. This weekend marks the unofficial start of the summer vacation travel season. A little planning can help make your holiday weekend safe and enjoyable. We encourage you to check out [travel information](#) on our Web site before departing.

Whenever possible, we avoid construction closures around holidays to accommodate travelers. Most crews will stop work by noon on Friday, May 26 and resume on Tuesday morning, May 30. Enjoy your holiday!

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